

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

DePetrillo et al.

Application No.: 10/601,711

Filed: June 20, 2003

For: MODULAR ICP TORCH ASSEMBLY

) Atty. Docket No: RONLP003

) Examiner: HOANG, T.

) Group Art Unit: 3742

) Date: November 18, 2004

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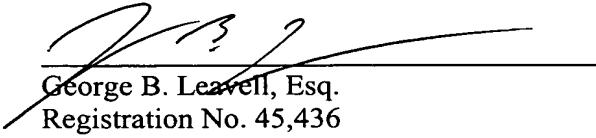
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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Sir:

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114
 - a. Previously submitted
 - i. Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on _____.
 - ii. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____.
 - iii. Other _____.
 - b. Enclosed
 - i. Amendment/Reply
 - ii. Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
 - iii. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
 - iv. Other _____.
2. Miscellaneous
 - a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months.
3. Fees
 - a. Check in the amount of \$790.00 is enclosed for:
 - i. RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e);
 - ii. ## Month Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17); and
 - b. The Director (or the Commissioner) is hereby authorized to charge any fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 50-0805 (Order No. RONLP003).

Date: November 18, 2004


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